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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Dear Sir:

This Information Disclosure Statement is submitted:

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III. CONCISE EXPLANATION OF THE RELEVANCE
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The attached patents, publications, or other information in the English language do not require a statement of relevancy.

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A concise explanation of the relevance of all patents, publications, or other information listed that is not in the English language is as follows: a computer generated English language translation is provided for DE 103 27 365 A1.

c. ___ ENGLISH LANGUAGE SEARCH REPORT

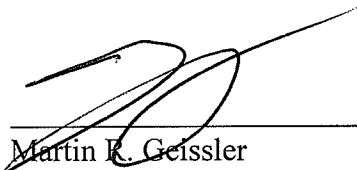
An English language version of the search report or action that indicates the degree of relevance found by the foreign office is attached, thereby satisfying the requirement for a concise explanation. See MPEP 609(III)(A)(3).

d. ___ OTHER

The following additional information is provided for the Examiner's consideration.

It is requested that the information disclosed herein be made of record in this application. Please charge any shortage in fees due in connection with the filing of this, concurrent and future replies, including extension of time fees, to Deposit Account 50-3828 and please credit any excess fees to such deposit account.

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